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PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.53(B)

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450				Attorney Docket No.: 28363/36886A		
Sir:						
applica	Enclos ation of:		with for filing under 37 C.F.R. §	1.53(b) is the nonprovisi	onal patent	
	Invent	ors:	Neubauer et al.			
	Title:		Informational Item Forming Machine and Method			
1.	Туре	of Appli	ication			
	☐ This is an application for a:					
			utility patent design patent			
	☐ This is a continuation-in-part of U.S. Serial No ☐ This is a continuation of U.S. Serial No. 09/723,598 for			erial No		
				. 09/723,598 filed Nove	mber 28, 2000.	
		This is	a divisional of U.S. Serial No	·		
			CERTIFICATION UNDER 37	C.F.R. §1.10		

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Application Papers Enclosed					
44	Pages of specification (excluding claims, abstract, drawings & sequence listing)				
16	Pages of claims				
1	Abstract page				
25	Sheet(s) of drawings (Figs. 1 to 19)				
	⊠ Formal				
	□ Informal				
Declaration or Oath					
X	Enclosed				
	Executed by legal representative of inventor(s) (37 C.F.R. §1.42 or §1.43)				
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4. Incorporation By Reference

If the present application is a continuation, continuation-in-part or divisional application as indicated in Paragraph 1 above, the prior application identified in Paragraph 1 above is hereby incorporated by reference in its entirety in the present application.

5. Priority Under 35 U.S.C. §119

The present application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §119 from each application listed below, and a certified copy of each application: \square is enclosed, \square will be filed later, \square was filed in a prior application from which the present application claims priority under 35 U.S.C. §120.

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6.	Add	litional Paper	rs Enclosed						
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